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Sir:

The above-identified patent application is being filed on behalf of the inventors, Bernard L. Ballou, Jr., et al., and the owner of the invention, World Theatre, Inc., a North Carolina corporation, under the provision of 35 USC §111 and 37 CFR §1.53.

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Enclosed are:

- A. Specification and Claims (33 pages);
- B. Five (5) sheets of drawings (5 figures);
- C. Form PTO/SB/05;
- D. Return postcard to verify PTO's receipt of application; and
- E. Appendix (16 pages) IDC White Paper entitled "Calimetrics' Multilevel Technology Enables High-Performance CD/DVD Recorders", IDC, Framingham, Massachusetts, USA (2000).

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Respectfully submitted,

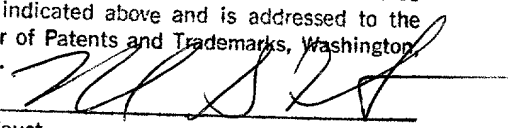


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